

North American Association of Summer Sessions



It's almost time for beignets, gumbo and some Bayou fun in the Crescent City! Here's everything you need to know as NAASS gears up for its Annual Conference in New Orleans, Nov. 10-13, 2019:

## **NAASS Election Results**

- Thank you to all who voted in the NAASS Elections! Congratulations to our new officers who will officially begin their terms at the annual business meeting in New Orleans next month:
  - President-elect: <u>Lowell Davis</u>, <u>Western Carolina State University</u>
  - Treasurer: Shawn Smith, North Carolina State University
  - Middle/Southern Regional Vice President: <u>David Lee, Southern Methodist University</u>
  - Northeastern Regional Vice President: Sarah Craig, UMass-Amherst and Michael Fitzpatrick, Yale University have stepped forward to be joint Northeastern Regional Vice Presidents

## **Final Conference Updates**

- Arriving prior to Sunday? Rooms at the JW Marriott New Orleans for Saturday night are sold
  out. You may check local hotel availability and rates for Friday or Saturday nights through
  your preferred travel site. Using the commercial <u>Marriott</u> website for the dates needed will
  allow you to see which hotels have availability and the distance to the conference hotel.
- Represent your institution with a Mardi Gras mask! Conference attendees are invited and
  encouraged to bring a Mardi Gras mask representing your school colors to the Cocktails and
  Conversation event on Tuesday evening, November 12. Bring your own or purchase an
  inexpensive mask from the store beside the hotel.
- Don't forget the Swag Swap! Bring your latest and greatest swag to show, share and swap. Mailing/shipping instructions are on the <u>conference website</u>.

## **Social Media**

- Follow the official NAASS <u>Facebook</u>, <u>Twitter</u>, and <u>Instagram</u> pages for live updates on the annual conference, and use #NAASS and #naass2019 to be part of the conversation.
- Don't forget to join the NAASS <u>LinkedIn group</u>, which is a great way to connect with conference attendees and NAASS members from across North America.

## **NAASS Member Survey**

- The NAASS Executive Committee would like to gather some feedback to inform the planning process for 2020.
- Click <u>here</u> to access the NAASS Member Survey- deadline to complete is **by midnight Sunday**, **November 3**, **2019**.







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